Some reason the Examiner considers otherwise, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned be called so that any deficiencies can be remedied.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner indicate consideration of the information by returning a copy of the attached form with initials or other appropriate marks.

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